

NOTED ILLINOIS MAN VISITS HERE

Former Grand Chief of O. R. T. Spends Day With Sister in El Paso.

David G. Ramsey, assistant state attorney of Illinois, was in El Paso yesterday, accompanied by his wife and two children, Watson Ramsey and Miss Kathleen Ramsey, visiting his sister, Mrs. W. J. Benton, at 2822 Montana street. Mr. Ramsey and family were returning to their home in Chicago from a visit to the San Francisco fair.

This was Mr. Ramsey's first visit here in 21 years. Just 24 years ago he was here on an official visit as grand chief of the Order of Railway Telegraphers. He has been very prominent for more than a quarter of a century in the ranks of the American Federation of Labor and has figured largely in the Democratic politics of his state, having served several times in the capacity of assistant state's attorney.

While visiting in El Paso yesterday, Mr. Ramsey was taken about the city by his nephew, J. E. Benton, of the First National bank, and was most favorably impressed with what he saw. Last evening Mr. Benton entertained with a Spanish dinner in honor of his uncle. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Benton, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Benton, Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey and two children, and Miss Regina Horgan.

The career of the visitor has been somewhat remarkable. He commenced railroad work when but a boy, and worked in various branches of the service, including that of telegraph operator for seven years. While thus employed he began the study of law and resigned as a railroad employee to accept a position in the law and real estate offices of the late ex-mayor John F. Bowman, of East St. Louis. He also served two years as assistant cashier of the East St. Louis bank, and in the meantime attended law school at McKendree college, where he graduated with honors. He was admitted to the bar in March, 1888, since which time he distinguished himself in the practice of law, both in East St. Louis and Chicago.

In the fall of 1899 he was elected representative to the Thirty-seventh general assembly of the legislature, and was one of the famous "Falmers Statewarts." While in the legislature he was always the champion of measures in the interest of the workman.

Mr. Ramsey served for three years as grand chief telegrapher of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers, a national American labor organization to which all union telegraph operators belong, and which is federated with the other railroad brotherhoods and is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

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DOUBLE TRAGEDY HAS LOCAL END

Woman Shoots Man and Self in San Antonio; to Send Children Here.

A double tragedy at San Antonio, Texas, on Monday of this week, has an El Paso end to a triangle love affair, according to a note left by the woman who shot a man and attempted to end her own life.

Roy Chavez Ramirez, 20 years old, and Mrs. Willie Ramirez, or Mrs. Willie Hehl, of about the same age, are in the city hospital in that city not expected to live, as the result of a double shooting at 4:30 o'clock Monday afternoon. In a letter to her mother and sister, Mrs. Hehl says she could no longer "stand the disgrace."

The shooting occurred at Nacogdoches and Crockett street, following a short conversation between the man and woman. There was no quarrel, according to witnesses and the voices of the two were not raised. Ramirez was shot while walking in front of Mrs. Hehl, the bullet striking him in the back between the shoulder blades.

Mrs. Hehl was shot in the breast and fell within a few feet of Ramirez. The injured couple were hurried to the city hospital, both in an unconscious condition.

No statement as to the cause of the shooting could be obtained from either of the parties, as Mrs. Hehl was unconscious and Ramirez was in such a serious condition that he was permitted no visitors, except his wife, who with her child lives at 213 South Flores street, this city.

According to letters found in the possession of Mrs. Hehl she sold household effects to obtain money to get to San Antonio from Austin. She has two children and also a mother and sister in Houston. In her letter, written to her mother and sister, she bids them "goodbye" and asks them to send the children to Willie Hehl of El Paso, Texas, whom she says is "able to work and make a living."

The letter follows: "San Antonio, Sunday Night. "Dear Mother and Sister: I arrived here this morning. Pound Roy about 6 o'clock this evening. The trouble you heard me speak of is... I have stood all I can stand and rather to live and feel the disgrace. I am going to say goodbye to all you. Say let the law take it. I don't feel that God will punish me for what I am doing. I want you to send the children to Mr. Hehl; he is able to work and make a living for them and I feel that they will be better off without me. His address is El Paso, Texas, Myrtle Avenue. "Goodbye until we meet in the sweet bye and bye. "Your broken hearted sister. "Willie."

Addenda to original letter is as follows: "Dear Mother and Sister: Write to

Mrs. Bass and tell the crew. That will help the children some. I will the household goods to get money to come here on. Bye-bye. "Willie."

Had Two Cents in Purse. The letter was addressed to E. E. Burris, 1427 Oxford street, Houston, Texas, care Pullman office. The police are of the opinion Mrs. Hehl is either a brother or father of Mrs. Hehl. Examination of a purse taken from Mrs. Hehl showed it contained only two cents and a half, and chief during her statement that her last cent had been taken.

Another letter, addressed to Mrs. Roy Ramirez, 823 Alamo street, Houston, Texas, was found in possession of Mrs. Hehl. The letter was signed by Anthony Barr, Austin, and referred to the sale of a cow.

Ramirez is married and has a wife and child living at 213 South Flores street, San Antonio. Ramirez was sent to Willie Hehl of El Paso, and the mother of Mrs. Hehl at Houston, notifying them of the tragedy.

Registered From Austin. According to information received by the San Antonio police, Mrs. Hehl, or Mrs. Ramirez, arrived in San Antonio Sunday morning. She registered at Crockett hotel as "Mrs. W. Ramirez, Austin, Texas." She spent the day there. Monday afternoon she walked into the hotel, accompanied by Ramirez. After a few minutes' conversation, which according to the police was of a pleasant nature, the couple walked out of the hotel.

Ramirez was a few steps in front when the shooting occurred. One bullet struck him in the back, between the shoulder blades, and passed out through the chest.

As Ramirez fell the second shot rang out and Mrs. Hehl sank slowly to the ground with a bullet wound through her breast.

ASSIGNMENTS IN CAVALRY AND COAST ARTILLERY CORPS. Washington, D. C., Nov. 15.—The following army orders have been issued:

Maj. C. A. Holsen, cavalry, unassigned, is attached to 13th cavalry.

Maj. Elmer Lindler, cavalry, unassigned, is assigned to the 12th.

First Lieut. L. T. Walker is relieved from recruiting duty at Fort Slocum, New York, and will proceed to Fort Williams, Mass., for duty, coast artillery corps.

Capt. F. H. Lemaux, Jefferson Barracks, is relieved from duty there and is assigned to 12th company, coast artillery corps.

Capt. H. L. Landon, coast artillery corps, now on leave, will report in chief of staff for temporary duty.

Leave for one month and 15 days is granted Second Lieut. R. S. Lytle, Tenth infantry.

Capt. E. D. Emaker, coast artillery corps, will proceed to Fort Slocum, New York, for temporary duty, coast artillery corps.

By direction of the president, Second Lieut. C. R. Butler, coast artillery corps, is detailed for service and will fill vacancy in grade of first lieutenant in ordnance department and will be detailed to 13th cavalry, Illinois, for duty.

Second Lieut. J. C. McConnell, 13th cavalry, will proceed to the Walter Reed hospital, Washington, for examination to determine fitness for detail in aviation section of coast artillery corps, coast artillery corps.

Capt. J. D. Watson, coast artillery corps, is detailed for recruiting service and is relieved from recruiting duty.

First Lieut. C. D. Butler, coast artillery corps, is detailed for recruiting service and will proceed to Fort Slocum, New York, for duty.

The name of Capt. C. E. Kilbourne, coast artillery corps, is placed on list of officers and names of Capt. P. H. Lemaux, coast artillery, is removed therefrom.

BLOOD TRANSFUSION MAY SAVE IMPRISONED GIRL. Easton, Md., Nov. 25.—Grace Marshall, the young woman alleged to have been imprisoned by her father for nearly 12 years, was removed to a hospital Wednesday. Physicians said blood transfusion might be necessary to save her life.

The girl's stepmother was arrested on a charge of assault. Frank Marshall, the father, is charged with assault with intent to kill.

CHINESE PAPERS WARN YUAN TO USE CAUTION. Peking, China, Nov. 25.—Chinese newspapers are warning president Yuan Shi Kai to proceed slowly in tying China up to an alliance with the entente powers. They state that China would be unable to help the allies in any military way and that such an alliance would end any hope of German and Austrian commerce in the far east.

Lady Eglantine Is Chicken Queen

Lays 314 Eggs in 365 Days and Makes No Fuss About It Either; Is White Leghorn, as They Deliver the Goods.

BY J. G. KIXAN.

IT HAS been a long time since the single comb White Leghorns made their debut upon the stage of poultrydom. They were not long in forcing themselves to the front and were soon playing the leading role in the egg play. Since their introduction many breeds have assumed to relegate these old favorites to the rear, but none have played the role so entirely to the satisfaction of the public and while there have always been and are now many contenders for this honor, a discerning public awards it to these old reliables as is evidenced by the fact that 90 percent of all egg farms are said to be stocked with this particular variety.

The largest producer of commercial eggs in El Paso county and strongly biased in favor of another and very fine variety and for several years gave them a very thorough try out on an extensive scale. He had nothing to complain of in their performance but found by actual experimentation that he could produce eggs from Leghorns for less money than from his favorite breed with the result that he discarded his favorites, and his farm was soon stocked with thousands of White Leghorns and they are proving true to the traditions of the breed. Early in the season they won the title of egg machines and have held it ever since.

White Leghorns Win. The returns are all in from the numerous egg laying contests and I think there was not a one in which this breed did not win in some capacity. Of course, there are exceptions, but the Leghorn rank first, where they lose first pen, foot up the eggs laid by each separate pen and you will find the breed in the lead, though the public expects them to win first honors as pen.

In a laying contest on the grounds of the Dallas A. and C. college this breed set a new record for egg laying on the American continent. A single hen, Lady Eglantine, laid in 28 days 214 eggs. A few years ago this performance would have been considered an impossibility. It shows the possibility of scientific breeding. This hen is American bred and raised. The contest opened on Nov. 1. On Nov. 2 she laid her first egg and for several weeks traveled alone at the rate of four, five or six eggs per week until early in January when she laid seven eggs in one week, and it is interesting to note that during the months of January and February, while the snow was falling and the ground was frozen over and hence all day the country this White Leghorn hen was busily engaged in the egg business at the rate of four, five and six every week. Is she a winter layer?

35 Eggs in 35 Days. From March 12 to April 17, inclusive, she laid 35 eggs—25 eggs in 25 days—and from that time on until October 2 she is said not to have fallen below six eggs a week, an excellent record. This record will probably stand for some time and when it is lowered I expect the White Leghorn to pull the stunt.

As a breed they are too well known to call for a description. They are white with large combs, pendant wattles, white ear lobes, proud carriage, full

of life and activity and almost requiring a covered run to confine them. They mature early and lay young. The little cockerels are crowing in eight or 10 weeks from the incubator and are certainly an interesting feature of the poultry yard.

Egg Hatch Well. The eggs of this breed usually run high in hatch ability—higher than most breeds—and in matting a greater number of hens may be placed with a single male. The little chicks are not so hardy as those of large breeds but with facilities for caring for them few need be lost. In about six weeks they are feathered out and have passed the danger line.

Only a very small minority of White Leghorn hens ever sit and their eggs must be incubated either artificially or by other birds. This is a free range breed but do well in confinement.

RAISES 8 POUND TURNIPS WITHOUT ANY IRRIGATING. Amarillo, Texas, Nov. 25.—The largest turnips of the year in the Panhandle country that have been shown in Amarillo were two raised by R. P. Smith, of Washburn. One weighed eight pounds and measured 2 1/2 inches in circumference. The other weighed seven pounds and was 2 1/2 inches in circumference. They were grown without irrigation. On a piece of ground 44 by 141 feet Mr. Smith raised 74 bushels of turnips after giving his neighbors all they wished and using what his own family needed.

WILLCOX MAN BUYS ARIZONA FRUIT RANCH. Hayden, Ariz., Nov. 25.—A. L. West, of Willcox, has purchased from Thomas N. Willis the well known Arizapua fruit ranch, of 148 acres. This is probably the best improved ranch in Pinal county. Willis has bought the Arizapua ranch of 40 acres, which adjoins his home place at the mouth of the San Carlos canyon, and is planning extensive improvements. Among the contemplated improvements is a handsome modern residence.

BROOM CORN WAREHOUSES ARE FILLED WITH 1915 CROP. Portales, N. M., Nov. 25.—Broomcorn is coming into Portales in great quantities and the warehouses are all crowded with it. It has become necessary to pile the broomcorn outside of the warehouses, as it has been impossible to get more into the storage houses. The crop this year has exceeded all expectations and it will amount to more than 100 cars. One buyer alone has paid out \$75,000 for broomcorn in this county.

ALFALFA HAY GOES TO \$10 A TON AT TEMPE, ARIZ. Tempe, Ariz., Nov. 25.—Within the last month the price of alfalfa hay has advanced from \$6 a ton to \$10, and some extra good alfalfa sold for \$12 in the last week. Hay has been low for 18 months.

FORMER GOVERNOR HUGHES OF ARIZONA IS DEAD. Tucson, Ariz., Nov. 25.—Former governor L. C. Hughes of Arizona, died early Wednesday night after a week's illness from pneumonia. He was 70 years of age.

Mr. Hughes was governor of the territory of Arizona from 1883 to 1886, by appointment from president Cleveland. Prior to that time he had taken an active part in securing government protection against raiding Apache Indians.

In the late seventies, Mr. Hughes founded the Arizona Daily Star and continued in active direction of the paper until about 12 years ago when he retired from active business. Of late years, he has been interested in campaigns for woman suffrage and prohibition, both of which measures have now become laws in Arizona. Mr. Hughes both as governor and as a private citizen waged fight for statehood for Arizona.

The former governor is survived by his widow and by a son, former state senator John T. Hughes.

TEXAS HOTELKEEPERS TO MEET HERE IN DECEMBER. Texas hotelkeepers will meet in El Paso December 15 and 16. R. L. Saunders, secretary of the Texas Hotelkeepers' association, is now arranging for the convention which will be held at the Hotel Paso del Norte during the two days. A big crowd of Texas hotelmen are expected to attend the convention and the local hotelkeepers are planning some hotel entertainment features to assist in pleasing hotel men.

The convention was to have been held here in June but because of the business conditions in El Paso it was decided to postpone the meeting until December.

CONTRACTS FOR IRRIGATION CONGRESS ARE RECEIVED. President R. P. Burgess, of the International Irrigation congress, has received the formal contracts for the 1916 congress to be held in El Paso. The contracts were signed by the board of governors of the congress and have been forwarded to the president here.

These signed contracts assure the congress for El Paso and the chamber of commerce will begin making plans at once for entertaining the big congress here next year. The congress will consist of 100 delegates from all over the world and will be a great event, when the El Paso congress and dam celebration will be held at the same time.

M. K. & T. RAILROAD SHOWS LARGELY INCREASED REVENUES. St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 25.—An increase in freight revenues of \$2,000,000 over the fiscal year of 1914 is shown in the annual report of the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad just issued. The increased revenue is said to have resulted from larger grain, cotton and oil shipments.

The report shows a decrease of \$250,000 in operating expenses.

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MAULBETSCH CAPTAINS MICHIGAN FOOTBALLERS. Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 25.—John S. Maulbetsch, of Ann Arbor, Michigan, was Wednesday captain of the University of Michigan football eleven for 1915.

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